

September 01, 2005

To: Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 – 12th Street, SW, Room TW-A306
Washington, DC 20554


Irene Flannery
Universal Service Administrative Company
2000 L Street, NW – Suite 200
Washington, DC 20036

Re: Federal High Cost Support Certification
Annual Certification Filing
CC Docket No. 96-45

This is to certify that Adams Telephone Co-Operative will use all Federal High Cost Support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended. This is consistent with section 254(e) of the Communications Act.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area listed below:

Signed,



Jim Broemmer
Manager

Date: 8/23/05

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Adams Telephone Co-Operative	IL	340976

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Ms. Marlene Dortch
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Subject: Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service CC Docket 96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The flat-fee Universal Service Fund proposal is unfair. I urge you to oppose this plan. I am one of the millions of consumers that will be unfairly taxed at a higher rate under the flat fee plan. The flat-fee would mean a tax hike for people like me -- consumers that use prepaid cellular phones or make few long distance calls.

I support the Keep USF Fair Coalition, and monitor this issue on their website. Stopping the flat fee tax is important to my family - not to mention my pocket book. You will hear from me again, until this issue is resolved fairly! The flat-fee is unfair, and un-American.

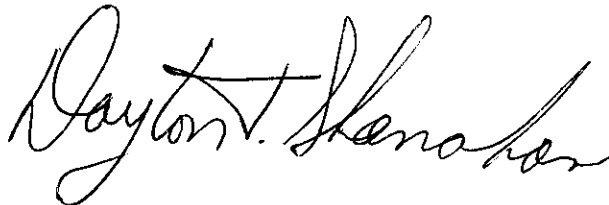
Under the flat fee proposal you are considering, people who make few long distance calls would pay the same as people or businesses that make many calls. In other words, low-volume and primarily residential customers would bear the same universal service fund burden as high-volume residential or business customers. I urge you to reject this flat-fee proposal.

Thank you.

cc: FCC Chair Kevin Martin, Congress

Sincerely,

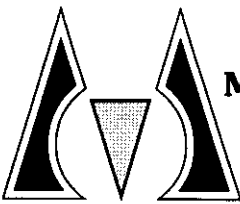
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cc:

Senator Carl Levin
Representative Dave Camp
Senator Debbie Stabenow
FCC Chairman Kevin Martin

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**Manti Telephone Co.**

40 West Union
Manti, Utah 84642
435-835-3391

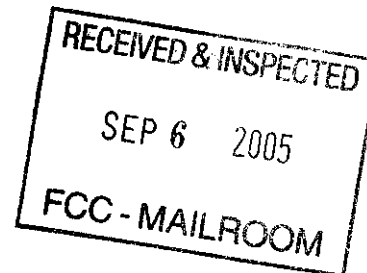
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Paul M. Cox
President & Manager

Serving the communities
of Manti & Sterling

31 August 2005

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Washington, DC 20554



Irene M. Flannery
Vice President – High Cost & Low Income Division
Universal Service Administrative Company
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Washington, D.C. 20036

Re: **Interstate Common Line Support**
Annual Certification Filing
CC Docket No. 96-45

This is to certify that **Manti Telephone Co.** will use its **Interstate Common Line Support** only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below:

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Manti Telephone Company	Utah	50-2282

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check this box.) ☐


[Signature of Authorized Representative]

Date: 31 August 2005

Paul M. Cox
[Printed Name of Authorized Representative]

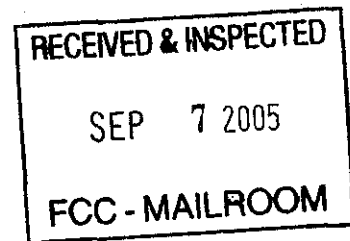
President
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Van Horne Cooperative Telephone Company

September 2, 2005

Marlene H. Dortch
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Karen Majcher
V.P. High Cost & Low Income Division
Universal Service Administration Co.
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Washington, D.C. 20037

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45
Interstate Common Line Support & Long Term Support – ICLS
Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that Van Horne Cooperative Telephone Company, will use its Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is provided for all study areas under the common control of the company, and which are listed below.

Signed,

Donald G. Whipple, Manager

September 2, 2005

Van Horne Cooperative Telephone Company
204 Main St. P.O. Box 96
Van Horne, IA 52346-0096

COMPANY NAME STATE STUDY AREA NO.

Van Horne Coop. Telephone Co. Iowa 35-1320

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